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Applicant : Thomas Michael Gooding et al.

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 17, 2006, having a period for response set to expire on January 17, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.